A Notice having been given through the County papers calling a joint meeting of the Executive Committee of the Worcester County North Division, & the Worcester County South Division, Anti Slavery Societies, a Meeting was accordingly held at the Worcester, at the Friends' Meeting Room, on Wednesday Feb. 10. 1841.

Charles White of Holden was Chosen Moderator of the Meeting, and Saml. May of Leicester, Secretary.

On motion of Wm. B. Earle it was

Voted, That a Committee of two be appointed to investigate the circumstances of the late recent resistance to the Laws of the Commonwealth, in Fitchburg, Mass., by an individual belonging to one of the Southern States, who had come into this State bringing a [male] Slave with him; to ascertain if such resistance actually was made; and, if so, to lay the case before the Grand Jury of the County, and take such other steps as may be proper in the case.

Voted, That Charles White of Holden, and Wm. S. Wilder of Fitchburg, be this Committee.

Voted, That the Secretary of this Meeting be requested to write to Rev. A. Ballou of Medway, and other individuals, and learn if they could can engage, at present, to visit the different towns in this County, or a part of them, and address the people on the subject of Abolition.

Voted, That Joshua T. Everett & Wm. B. Earle be a Committee to appoint and call another joint Meeting of these two Executive Committees.

Adjourned.

Saml. May. Secy.

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March 16. 1841. A meeting of the Joint Committees was called, to be held at Worcester this day, - in connexion with the So. Div. Antislavery Society. Members were present from the So. Div. Society; and a preliminary meeting of the Joint Committee was held. But before anything was done, it was necessary to adjourn till the P.M. The afternoon was occupied with the meeting of the So. Div. Society, and, at its adjournment, it was found too late to hold a meeting of the Committee. - So the Comtee. meeting "fell through".

Saml. May

S. J. M. in April.

Dr. Hudson

Memoranda.

Wm. L. Garrison

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" Sumner Lincoln, Gardner.
" John Boadman, Douglas.
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